

# BANKERS PLANNING TO HALT THE ORGY OF BUYING LUXURIES

Conference With Federal Reserve Board Called at Washington—American People Are Mad on Luxuries and Short on Production—Greater Output of Necessities Needed to Reduce Cost of Living—Definite Action Needed.

(By Associated Press)

Washington, May 14.—How to halt the orgy of spending on luxuries and other nonessentials in which Americans are indulging and divert capital to increasing production of necessities which will reduce the cost of living, is a question that will be considered by the leading bankers of the country in a joint conference with Secretary of the Treasury Houston and the federal reserve board next week.

The principal suggestion to be discussed is that the reserve banks and the bankers take concerted action to curtail the advance of credit for the production of nonessentials in an effort to stem the wave of extravagance, on the theory that the people will stop spending when there are no luxuries to buy and capital will be forced into the production of necessities when denied the more profitable field of nonessentials.

**Inflation Considered**  
Preparations being made for the conference indicate that it will be one of the most important so far held on the credit situation in the United States. A wide range of questions will be considered, all bearing on financial reconstruction measures to check and reduce inflation and otherwise direct the nation back to normal conditions from the financial and economic excesses produced by the war.

The suggestion of action to check the orgy of extravagance has grown out of the failure of realization of the expectation that the cost of living would begin to decline by this time, and the increasing evidence that the waste of reckless spending has not abated but is even advancing, with the financing of the promotion of pleasure cars, fancy wearing apparel and other luxuries assuming huge proportions.

**Nails are Scarce**  
An assertion frequently heard is that farmers are unable to procure nails, wire and other articles of iron because of the prodigious demand for steel in the automobile industry.

One of the most effective ways to bring down the cost of living, would be to curtail the production of luxuries and divert capital and labor to increasing the production of essential foods and clothing. There are numerous difficulties to be faced by the conference, however, in dealing with this question.

The impression prevails that such

## RIFLE SQUAD SHOT AND KILLED JOHNSON

(By Associated Press)

Chicago, May 14.—The rifle squad police today cornered and shot and killed John Johnson, a man who robbed the Illinois Central railroad mail car of currency estimated at \$100,000.

A policeman wounded in the fight died in a hospital later. The hold up is said to have been the most daring in the midwest in years. The robber was identified as Horace Walton, aged 22, of St. Joseph, Mo.

## PRES. CARRANZA WILL SURRENDER TODAY

(By Associated Press)

El Paso, May 14.—The surrender sometime today of Carranza and his forces said to be surrounded near San Marcos, Puebla, is predicted in a telegram from General Alvaro Obregon to Luis Motes, Deca, Mexican revolutionary agent here.

Try an advertisement in the Daily and Weekly Eagle.

## NOTICE TO BOYS OF BRAZOS COUNTY

Messrs. Beason, Ebenstadt and Long are making a campaign in Brazos County among the boys and expect to see fully 300 club members at the County court house in Bryan Saturday, May 15 at 3 o'clock where they will be addressed by H. H. Williamson of A. & M. College and others. This is necessary to meet the requirements of the three banks of Bryan, the First State Bank, the City National Bank and the First National Bank in giving the \$300 each to send a boy on the 4000-mile trip in August through eighteen states to be entertained by Secretary of Agriculture Meredith. Let all the boys be on hand.

## OLD BRAZOS IS SOAKED TO THE BONE ONCE MORE

The Rain Early This Morning Extended From Calvert to Navasota and Perhaps Farther, Soaking the Whole Country—The Brazos Bottoms Had Fine Rain.

Reports received today indicate the rain was general over this entire section and breaks the drought that has prevailed practically since the first of January. It will be worth untold millions to the farming interests of this section. Mr. Ed M. Sims, manager of the Telephone Company, very kindly furnished the Eagle with reports extending north and south from Calvert to Navasota and the rain was general in all this territory. Fine rains are reported in the Brazos bottom where farming conditions were very backward indeed and that rich section may now be depended upon to come to the front and bloom and blossom as the rose. How far east the rain extended is not known, but W. E. Cloud said he talked to parties at Madisonville early this morning and they stated it had rained but little there up to that hour. They doubtless have had rain by this time or will get it before this rain period is over. The rain was slow and gentle, there being but little wind, which makes it all the better. It begins to look like good crops for 1920. The local government rain gauge, kept by John Daly, registered 1.10 inches at 8:30 this morning and there has been quite a precipitation since that hour.

## RAISING THE GRADE OF TEXAS COTTON

Dallas, Texas, May 11.—Raising the grade of Texas cotton through more careful ginning, handling and picking is the purpose of a campaign which has been inaugurated by James Z. George, vice president and general manager of the Texas Chamber of Commerce, with the co-operation of the Farmers' Union, the Texas Cotton Association, the A. & M. College extension service, the ginners and gin machinery manufacturers, and the State Council of Agriculture.

The grade of Texas cotton is lowered from half point to two points through careless methods, according to W. W. Mangum of the A. & M. College, J. H. McDonough of the Murray Gin Company, Theo. Marcus of the Texas Cotton Association, and others who spoke at a recent gathering at Dallas, costing the farmers of the state millions of dollars annually.

## A. J. (BUCK) McALLUM STOOD SECOND OPERATION

A telegram to the Eagle this morning from the Red Cross at the U. S. Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., stated that A. J. (Buck) McCallum stood his second operation fine and was resting well. The message that his family be notified, which was done by Mrs. Buchanan, secretary of the local chapter American Red Cross. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. John McCallum, Sr., of Tabor. Buck is in the navy and had one of his limbs broken some months ago by a fall. In the healing from the first operation, the injured member was shorter than the other which made this second operation necessary.

## FARMERS, ATTENTION!

Bryan, Texas, May 11.—We hereby call a meeting of the signers of the guarantee of the Brazos County Marketing Association for a cotton class and marketing representative to meet in Bryan at the Chamber of Commerce offices at 2 p. m. on Saturday, May 15. Questions of much importance to the farmers of Brazos County are to be settled at this meeting.

I. M. COOK, President, W. E. GRAHAM, Secretary.

## DISTRICT COURT

The petit jury for the week in the district court was empaneled this morning, but were excused at once, there being no jury cases for trial this week. But small business is being transacted, principally calling the docket and setting cases for some future date during the term. Several divorces have been granted. The grand jury has not yet handed down any indictments, but may do so this afternoon according to County Attorney J. G. Minkert.

## KNIGHTS TEMPLAR HAD GREAT MEETING

Ivanhoe Commandery Knights Templar of this city, had one of the greatest meetings yesterday afternoon and last night in its history. There were just an even dozen candidates for initiation, all leading young men of Navasota, and the meeting opened and work began at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and was concluded shortly after midnight. Following is a list of those who were given the degree and became full fledged Sir Knights: E. H. Shields, W. W. Lott, H. E. Fuqua, J. H. Elliott, W. F. Gibbs, Jr., W. F. Hatchett, W. R. Sanders, L. G. Wood, T. H. Mackie, L. W. Rott, L. McGinty and Dr. E. A. Harris. The following visiting Sir Knights attended the meeting: E. H. Terrell, J. E. Warren, A. C. Tribble, H. N. Sandal, T. M. Owens, Conn Gibbs, and V. Wing, all of Navasota.

## MARSHALL HAS AN INCREASE IN POPULATION

(By Associated Press)  
Washington, May 14.—The population of Marshall, Texas, is 14,000, an increase of 2,819.

## J. DEMPSEY TRIAL IS SET JUNE 7

(By Associated Press)

San Francisco, May 14.—The date for the trial of Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, and his manager, Jack Kearns, on the draft evasion charges, was set for Monday, June 7, in the United States District Court here today. He was indicted by the federal grand jury.

## A. & M. COLLEGE WORK IN WILLIAMSON CO.

(By Associated Press)

Georgetown, Tex., May 14.—M. M. Bedenbaugh and Karl Neal, representing the agricultural college of the State of Mississippi, accompanied by John B. Beers of Texas A. & M. college, were here Wednesday collecting information concerning the service, value and benefits of the cotton classing service installed in Williamson County under the direction of the county agent's office and the bureau of markets of A. & M. college at the beginning of the last cotton season.

They visited each of the four towns, Georgetown, Round Rock, Taylor and Granger, where the work was carried on, interviewing farmers, bankers, cotton men and other citizens concerning the service, and departed for their homes well pleased with the results of their visits. They visited the lands where 83,000 bales of cotton were raised in 1919 making Williamson County the leading cotton county in the United States.

## MOORING WELL NO. 1 IS DOWN 350 FEET

Roger Q. Astin was in town from his Brazos Bottom plantation Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Astin states that Mooring Well No. 1 is now down 350 feet and drilling is going steadily on day and night. A 30-foot strata of gumbo was drilled through at about 300 feet. The drill is now in the gravel having passed through several layers of quick sands. The drillers are very much encouraged at the outlook as indications seem encouraging. Several leases are changing hands on the prospects. Mr. Astin did not have much to say but he looked hopeful that Mooring No. 1 would prove a gusher.

## TEXAS EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS IN NEED

(By Associated Press)

Austin, Texas, May 14.—Requests for emergency appropriations for the educational institutions of Texas for the remainder of the current year and the next fiscal year to total \$6,549,669 is the final revised recommendations to be submitted to the special session of the legislature, which has been called by Governor Hobby for May 20th.

## LARGEST HOTEL IN WORLD FOR CHICAGO

Chicago, May 10.—Plans for the largest hotel in the world, to front three blocks on Lake Michigan and Sheridan road, were made public Saturday.

According to the plans, the hotel will be in five units, with the present Edgewater beach hotel as one unit. The architects have planned 4000 rooms. The cost is estimated at \$15,000,000.

A theatre seating 2500 is a feature of the plans. A "peaceck alley," three blocks long, connecting all the units, 400 kitchenettes for those who desire to cook their own meals and one 16-story unit for bachelors are other features. A minimum charge of \$15 a day in one of the units is contemplated.

## NAVARRO COUNTY PUBLIC RAT KILLING

Corsicana, Texas, May 10.—A. M. Farmer, who lives eight miles north of Corsicana, invited his neighbors to come in a few days and help him rid his barn of rats. When the killing was over 301 dead rats weighing 125 pounds, were counted.

## DISTRICT COURT

The regular May term of the district court was convened at 9:00 this morning with Judge W. C. Davis presiding. The grand jury was empaneled as follows: H. P. Danshy, foreman; P. L. Barron, Noah Cole, J. C. Cloud, W. H. Buchanan, H. C. Beard, M. W. Sims, Chas. Merka, C. C. Du-laney, J. B. Sanders, M. L. Parker, and C. V. Wheeler.

T. E. Wade was up today from Well-

## BRAZOS COUNTY FARM BOYS ARE TO GO ON TRIP

Mr. C. L. Beason, of the Owensboro Ditcher and Grader Company together with the A. and M. Extension Service of the A. and M. College filled his first appointment at Steep Hollow Monday night, urging the boys of Brazos County to enter the list to receive appointments for the A. and M. College and Texas Chamber of Commerce 4000-mile trip thru the North and East in a special train to visit many places of interest, between Texas and Washington. Three boys of the 150 in Texas can go from Brazos County as this has been made possible by the three banks of Bryan, The First National Bank, the City National Bank and the First State Bank contributing \$300 each or \$900 to pay the expenses of the trip.

Mr. I. M. Cook, of Steep Hollow, presided at the meeting and speeches were made by H. H. Williamson, of the College; C. L. Beason, Geo. H. Long of the College, Secretary S. E. Ebenstadt, of the Bryan Brazos County Chamber of Commerce and Editor Lee J. Rountree.

Mr. Williamson explained in detail the great trip which would be in a special train through Oklahoma, Nebraska, Missouri, Iowa, Wisconsin, Illinois, and through Canada to Washington City and return and each contestant must join the Boys Club and enter the lists in Brazos County. Secretary of Agriculture Meredith will entertain the boys on his Iowa farm and accompany them to Washington and down the Potomac River in the boat trip.

Messrs. Beason and Long gave the picture show, setting forth the opportunities of farm life and its many advantages today over former years. Messrs. Cook, Beason and Ebenstadt made good speeches. Nearly every boy present joined the club. The campaign will be continued in Brazos County until 3 p. m. Saturday, May 15, when all the boys will meet in Bryan at the court house for final instructions. The dates for speaking are as follows: Reliance, Tuesday night; Kurten, Wednesday night; Millican, Friday night, and Wellborn, Saturday night.

## TEXAS BANKERS TO MEET IN GALVESTON

(By Associated Press)

Dallas, May 14.—Programs are in the hands of the publishers for the thirty-sixth annual convention of the Texas Bankers' Association, which will be held in Galveston at Hotel Galvez, May 25, 26 and 27, according to William A. Philpott, Jr., secretary. Bankers of state and national repute are scheduled to address the delegates.

F. Marion Law, vice president of the First National Bank of Houston, president of the association, will preside. "Keep Your Feet on the Ground" will be the subject of an address by John G. Lonsdale, president of the National Bank of Commerce of St. Louis. Mayor H. O. Sappington of Galveston will deliver the address of welcome, and the response will be given by Ed Hall, president of the First State Bank and Trust Company of Bryan, Texas. Beverley D. Harris, vice president of the National City Bank of New York, will speak on "Money and the Foreign Exchanges."

## AFTER LOUISIANA FOOD PROFITEERS

Shreveport, La., May 8.—Following an investigation of several weeks by operatives of the department of justice on complaints that the Lever food act was being violated in Shreveport, United States Commissioner Slattery Tuesday afternoon issued 14 warrants against a number of wholesale and retail grocers. The warrants charge selling without license, hoarding and profiteering. They will be served on the accused firms Tuesday.

## NEW CITIZENS FOR BRYAN

Secretary Ebenstadt of Bryan and Brazos County Chamber of Commerce located Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Brown of Austin at Chas. Holmes. Mr. Brown will make headquarters here and travel six counties. Secretary Ebenstadt a short time ago located Mr. and Mrs. Snapp at Mrs. M. C. Hall. Mr. Snapp is traveling salesman for the American Tobacco Co. and makes his headquarters here. Yesterday the secretary located Mr. Snapp's brother at C. L. Beason's, and he will travel for the same firm.

Mrs. Maud Leigh of Navasota was the guest of relatives in this city last night and today, returning home this afternoon.

Will Josey and Tom McCallum were in the city today from Tabor. They report a fine rain.

Mrs. J. W. Wilkinson and little Tassie Mae have returned to Madisonville after visiting relatives in this city.

Rev. C. T. Talley of Mailin, former pastor of the Methodist church here, was here today and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cole. He is on his way to Alexander to hold quarterly conference.

Mrs. Laura Koppe of Houston is in the city visiting relatives and looking after her farming interests.

# NICKELS, BAILEY'S CAMPAIGN MANAGER, NOW SUES FOR LIBEL

Hon. Luther Nickels, of Hill County, Files \$150,000 Libel Suit in Eastland County Against Rev. "Bob" Shuler, of Paris, and Others—Alleges Defamation of Character in Magazine Article—Other Suits Are in Contemplation Over Bailey Issue.

## CITY CEMETERY RECEIVES LARGE SUM BY WILL

The Late J. W. English in His Will Left Four Thousand Dollars For City Cemetery—Must Be Invested and Only the Interest Used—Check For Amount Has Been Received.

The late J. W. English who was a citizen of Bryan for more than fifty years and one of its pioneer merchants, but who resided during the last two or three years of his life in Washington City, showed his great love for the "old home town" in a substantial way in his will.

One clause in his will, a copy of which is on file in the office of the city manager, bequeaths to the city cemetery the sum of four thousand dollars. The will provides however that the money must be invested in safe securities and only the interest can be used in "keeping in good repair and condition" the cemetery.

A check for the sum of \$4,000 covering the bequest, has been received from his widow, Mrs. J. W. English of Washington, and the money has been deposited to the credit of the city. It was a thoughtful act on the part of the donor and his name will always be held in grateful remembrance by the citizens of Bryan, especially those who are interested in our silent city of the dead.

## BEAUMONT SHORT ON SNAKE MEDICINE

(By Associated Press)

Beaumont, Tex., May 14.—Snakes are more numerous in this section of Texas than in many years, veteran river men declare. The river men say that moccasins and other varieties of water snakes are becoming little short of a menace to persons whose business takes them into the swamps and along the banks of rivers and small streams.

A large snake said to have been of rare species was killed by Roy Sterling near the river "cut off" several miles below Beaumont. The snake was seven feet, eight inches in length and was nearly ten inches in circumference. It was of a peculiar color, having a brown stomach and silvery, diamond checked sides and black back. In its tail was a "stinger" about two inches long. Mr. Sterling who is an old time river man declares he never saw one like it before. The snake's mouth was large as the spread of a man's hand and in the ugly jaws were poisonous fangs, quarter of an inch in length.

## RATS ARE CAUSING MANY BARN FIRES

Austin, Tex., May 14.—The present infestation of rats and mice is responsible more than anything else for the great number of barns which are destroyed by fire, in the opinion of Commissioner F. C. Weinert, of the Bureau of Markets and Warehouses. Commenting upon the report of the state fire insurance commission that 70 barns were destroyed during the month of April, he says: "The farmer who uses all means at his command to catch and kill rats and mice, who allows nothing but safety matches on his place, and who enforces a rule against smoking about the barn, will have done all that can be done to prevent the burning of his barn."

"Every farm in this state has been infested with rats and mice the past winter. More rats and mouse traps were sold in the stores than during any other three years of Texas history. Add this to the growing carelessness with matches, and you have the reason for the fires."

## DEATH OF MR. HOWELLS

New York, May 11.—William Dean Howells, the novelist, died today. He has been ill for some time.

Rosser Thomas, a prominent citizen of Dallas, but who was born and reared in Bryan, was shaking hands with old friends here yesterday and was a pleasant caller at the Eagle office.

Ed Carl was in town today from his home on Rock Prairie. Mrs. A. J. Buchanan, secretary of the local Red Cross Chapter, was quite ill last night and today and is confined to her home.

(Special to the Eagle)  
Eastland, Texas, May 14.—Luther Nickels, campaign manager for former United States Senator Joseph W. Bailey, candidate for Governor of Texas, filed two suits in district court here yesterday for alleged libel. The actions were against Rev. R. P. Shuler of Lamar County and pastor of the First Methodist church in Paris, and A. C. Baldwin & Sons, a corporation of Travis County. Plaintiff demands in each case damages "for defamation of character by reason of libel," in the sum of \$100,000 actual and \$500,000 punitive damages.

Mr. Nickels in his petition sets forth that while he was acting as campaign manager for Senator Bailey the defendants published and caused to be circulated statements that were "defamatory, wilfully made, injurious and false." A magazine containing the alleged libelous statements, plaintiff declared, was circulated in Eastland County.

The filing of these suits recalls the recent statement of Senator Bailey at McKinney that he intended to sue the Dallas News and two other newspapers for libel. Two years ago when the San Antonio Express, Houston Chronicle and Houston Post attacked former Governor James E. Ferguson he sued them for \$400,000 and secured judgments for \$38,000. Along these lines of damage suits it is recalled while Judge Ben F. Looney, of Greenville, now a candidate for governor, was attorney general of Texas, he secured a judgment of \$10,000 against the Dallas News.

## U. S. FRENCH AND BRITISH BATTLESHIPS IN MEXICAN WATERS

Vera Cruz, May 14.—W. A. Body, British vice consul at Vera Cruz, is with President Carranza who is evidently surrounded north of San Marcos. Efforts are being made by British and American authorities to reach him. British and French cruisers arrived yesterday, the first European craft to make appearance since the outbreak of the revolution. The American battle ships increased to four with the arrival of the cruiser Dolphin from Tampico.

## COTTON CONSUMPTION IN THE UNITED STATES

Washington, May 14.—Cotton consumed during April, 1920, was 567,839 bales lint and 29,955 bales of linters, the United States Census Bureau announced today.

## MEXICO IS A MASS OF REBEL ARMIES

Brownsville, May 13.—Mexican rebel forces after evacuating Reynosa, sixty miles west of Matamoros, when they were advised today that a trainload of Federal soldiers were approaching from Monterey reoccupied town a few hours later and sent a courier demanding the surrender of Matamoros. Large bands of rebels are reported six miles west of Matamoros at noon today.

## CONVICT DEBS NOMINATED PRESIDENCY

New York, May 13.—Eugene V. Debs, federal convict No. 2253, was nominated by acclamation for the presidency of the United States at the Socialist National convention. The Socialists claim they will poll 2,000,000 votes next November.

## CAUGHT PARTIES WITH CAR

Sheriff Morehead received word from Houston officers at noon Saturday describing a stolen car and telling him to watch out for the thieves as they were headed this way. At a quarter to three he and Officer White discovered the car driven by two men giving their names as Strickland and Tucker, and placed them under arrest. The parties stoutly denied that the car was stolen, but the number tallies with the number given by the Houston officers. The Houston officers were notified at once and a man was sent up Saturday night who identified the car and carried and the prisoners back with him.

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## IT'S PERFECTLY AWFUL

State Press Joe Taylor and Cartoonist John Knott of the Galveston-Dallas News are the long and short of it, the first and the last, the alpha and the omega. Joe weighs 301 1/4 pounds, while John barely plugs out 99 1/2 pounds avoidupois. Valuable things do not always come in small packages, or large ones, either.—Bryan Eagle.

That's just like Editor Rountree, not being able to think of anything constructive to write about, he fills up space by printing bunk like this. State Press does not mind Mr. Rountree's having his little joke, but, honest to goodness, this thing is going too far. No doubt many people in Texas really believe that State Press weighs 300 pounds, and John Knott only 99. For a long time State Press has been trying to persuade the management of this paper to allow him to print his picture at the head of this column in order that just such rumors as this might be forestalled. But for one reason or another he has been refused. First, it was the fear that all the other editors would want their pictures printed, too, and now it is the paper shortage. But these are mere excuses. The real reason of course, lies in the fear of the management that the publication of such a photograph would attract too many ladies to the building, and disturb the work of the boiler-makers and blacksmiths who, according to Mr. Bailey, write the editorials. As a matter of fact, what State Press really weighs is 278. He is six feet-one in height and his proportions have often been compared to those of Apollo Belvedere. His nose is aquiline, and his eyes gray and fearless. A firm mouth, delicately chiseled, is seen beneath a curly black mustache that sweeps gently out upon a pair of cheeks faintly suffused with a peach-blossom pinkness. A couple of very musical ears, and a Darwinian brow complete the tout ensemble. These points can be checked up by any one calling at this office with the price of admission. As for John Knott, we really do not know his weight. Suffice it to say that he has a double chin, and, from the rear, looks like a ship-by-truck advertisement—which facts alone are sufficient to place in the proper category Editor Rountree's statement to the effect that he weighs only 99.—Dallas-Galveston News.

For president: William Gibbs McAdoo, of New York. For vice-president: William Pettus Hobby, of Texas.

Every time there is a strike in the United States prices go up. They never go down—because we are always striking.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gregg and Mrs. Albert Hanneman and daughter, Miss Lillian, were visitors in the city today from Pitts Bridge.

When potatoes reach the price of \$100 per bushel perhaps somebody will come back from the oil fields and raise a few. Until then we must be patient and cheerful.

Senator Lodge will make the keynote speech at the national republican convention at Chicago. Lodge is the man. He can easily dig up the dead and bury them over again—the same old issues can be brought forward to fool the people.

The Eagle is unalterably opposed to the United States government contributing any more to the warring countries of Europe. A nation that is able to fight and not work ought to be let alone so that it would starve itself out and quit war.

In speaking to the Farm Boys Club at Steep Hollow Monday night H. H. Williamson, of the A. & M. College, declared the boy on the farm with a self-starter would be the real big man tomorrow. Mr. Williamson had in view the startling tendency now in the United States to engage in the

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Doctors' Favorite Medicine Now Purified and Refined from All Objectionable Effects. "Calomel"—the New Name.

What will human ingenuity do next? Snuffboxes, powder, wireless telegraphy, wireless carriages, colorless iodine, tasteless quinine, now comes nauseous calomel. The new improvement called "Calomel" is now on sale at drugstores.

For biliousness, constipation and indigestion the new calomel tablet is a practically perfect remedy, as evidenced by the fact that the manufacturers have authorized all druggists to refund the price if the customer is not "perfectly delighted" with Calomel. One tablet at bedtime with a swallow of water—that's all. No taste, no nausea, no griping, no salts. By morning your liver is thoroughly cleansed and you are feeling fine, with a hearty appetite. Eat what you please—no danger—no about your business.

Calomels are not sold in bulk. Get an original package sealed. Price, thirty-five cents.—(adv.)

## CHURCHES AND COMFORT.

(McKinney Courier-Gazette)

Sam Jones, probably one of the greatest evangelists in his day, in speaking of the need of the churches once said at San Marcos: "The man who looks after the comfort of the church is as much a public benefactor as I am. You should not sit down by a window and pull it down. Move away if you are cold. If you are hot get off the radiator and give the other fellow a chance. Don't ruin the comfort of the meeting." The Bryan Eagle, speaking of the important matter of the A. & M. Bulletin says: "If they went to church, it was practically impossible to keep them awake without giving them something by way of an eye-opener. And the churches, in the old days, were, like a certain widely-advertised bed, 'built for sleep.' Their ventilation system was bad, the odor of sanctity, or something, was soporific and the preacher commented on a professional tone conducive to drowsiness. It is different now. The churches are bright, the preachers are brisk, the music is joyous without being jazzy, and the theology is in keeping with a world made safe for democracy." But the main thing is the correct temperature to keep every body comfortable and happy. The minister will do well to see the sexton quite often.

"Industrial Death Dance" which means decay in all lines. The real boys on the farm must save the day—and save the world from starvation. And they should be paid for their work more than those who are merely leeches on the industrial life of the world.

Sam Gompers says the present congress is a failure. John Garner says "Collectively the Republicans are cowards" and summing the whole thing up we are led to believe the situation in Washington is deplorable. In the meantime everybody up there seems to be playing politics—and cheap politics at that.

The Houston Post says it is "predicted that sugar will go to 30 cents by June 1st" and attributes this to the "hog's appetites." Nay, nay, it is because of the strikes, short hours and short production. The world is on a rampage and is not producing enough to keep it going. It is strange we are all too cowardly to tell the truth about it.

It is said that fifty per cent of the divorces granted in Reno and Chicago are fraudulent. The Pickford-Moore suit brought some deplorable conditions. Houston is said to be the greatest divorce town in the South, but fraud has not been charged. It seems just an insatiable desire of the Houston persons to be "hog wild and scout free" and to be able to be their rottenest when occasion demands.

The Houston Post suggests that as skunk skins are \$9.50 now the wolf hides that are being promised by Attorney General Palmer will be as high as "joy-juice." But if the attorney general does no better in the future than he has in the past we will never have to pay directly for the wolf skins. We are, however, paying 1000 per cent advance indirectly for these promised hides now.

Robert Needham, the Joliet, Illinois, burglar who returned to the state prison stating it was easier to live in the penitentiary than to make his way in the world is only an advanced type of what any considerable number of people can do in sentiment. The nations in Europe, who would rather fight than work are about the same stripe as the Illinois burglar and it is not a good idea to send them money, bread and guns to fight with. They should go to work.

Those who are opposing the Mexican laborers coming to Texas to work the farms will no doubt change their mind when the women and children are crying for bread in the United States as they are doing in other countries. Men who will not work and prevent others from working and starvation comes are guilty morally and legally. There must be more production to save the world. Money is not all that is needed for human comfort.

Capt. S. F. Carter, president of the Lumberman's National Bank at Houston, criticizes the present tax system of the national government in the Houston Post. The Eagle wonders if Capt. Carter expected certain politicians to meet the real issues? The average professional politician is playing for votes. Congressman John N. Garner, of Texas, calls them "collectively cowards." The Eagle believes we are lucky to be able to keep business going at all under present conditions and the divided management of public affairs at Washington. Let us give thanks for even a chance to win.

The Houston Post says: "Houston deposits have dropped to \$91,000,000, but gee, that much money can accomplish a great deal if put to work." Houston is not going to work very much as long as she has any money on hand. Houston thinks money will take the place of work and production. This reminds us of the poor washerwoman who alighted from the Hudson Super-Six and said: "No lady I've not gwine to work no mo', I've always said when I had money I'd quit work and have a big time. I've got it. I have \$13.00 in de bank ta' tal!" And she rode away in her limousine listening to the rattle of her silk garments.

Amarillo is to have a "White Way" by June 1st. Amarillo is said to be the coldest spot in the world. June nights there are like December nights elsewhere. Once when we were up in the Canadian Rockies and stopped in Kamloops and Medicine Hat just for curiosity to see how the weather was made a little Canadian boy said: "Mister it gets so cold here that a man's smoke sometimes turns to icicles, but gee, you ought to see how really cold it is in Amarillo." By the way we may go up to Amarillo when the balance of the earth is hot and parched and on a glorious cool evening with coats buttoned take a stroll with Mayor W. A. Miller. He was in Bryan recently and was elected vice president of the A. & M. College board. Mayor Miller has a unique way of making any kind of weather he desires with the assistance of Medicine Hat.

The New York Sun-Herald as copied by the Dallas-Galveston News states that the presidential boom for Vice-President Thomas R. Marshall is "assuming serious proportions." The Eagle does not know what is meant by the word "serious" in the announcement. Vice-President Marshall is a personal friend. We witnessed him preside over his own election in 1917—and no other person in the United States living today has witnessed any other such event. There was nothing "serious" then and it wouldn't be extremely "serious" if he should be nominated and elected president. Worse things than that have happened in this country.

The Waco News-Tribune asks: "Can a man who is barred from being governor of Texas be president of the United States, provided he can get enough votes to elect him?" Alas! Jim Ferguson was declared a constitutional political orphan by a high Texas court of impeachment, but nothing has ever been done with him nationally. However, the words of Henry Clay can be adopted with a little change of one letter in his case. Henry said he would "rather be right than president" and Jim can use the word "right" and as Charley Culbertson said to Judge Gaines: "Just let it go at that."

RIPLEY M. EASTERS OF KURTEN DEAD AFTER LONG ILLNESS  
Ripley M. Easters died at his home in the Kurten community on Wednesday afternoon at 6 o'clock after a long illness. For some time his life was despaired of, yet love and hope inspired those who were near to him to continue their efforts and everything possible was done for him, but to no avail, and at the hour stated death came as a blessed relief to his hopeless illness and long suffering.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Easters and was born and reared in the Kurten community. He was 29 years of age and is survived by his wife and three small children. He is also survived by his father and mother and four sisters. The bereaved relatives have the deep sympathy of all in their dark hour of sorrow.

He was a splendid young man, honest, upright, faithful and held in the highest esteem by all who knew him. He was a member of the Free Baptist church and lived a consecrated, christian life.

The funeral was held at Tryon church cemetery on Thursday afternoon and was conducted by Rev. O. L. Smith, assisted by Rev. J. J. Tatum and Rev. J. M. Bullock.

PROSPECT NEWS.  
Prospect, May 10.—Health of our community is fairly good at this writing. I suppose everybody is too busy to get sick. We are still needing rain. Our community was visited with a nice shower Saturday but more rain is needed as the soil is so dry.

Rev. Sample will fill his appointment here next Sunday afternoon and have prayer meeting here every Sunday night and every one is invited to attend and take part. We also have Sunday school every Sunday.

Mr. Ben Bond and family attended church at Steep Hollow Sunday and called by to see their daughter, Mrs. Barnett who is very ill and has undergone an operation. We hope she will soon recover.

Mrs. Lowry, Misses Flower and Rubie Beal and Mr. Shueller were welcome guests in the White home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Walter Bullock and daughter, Emma, were callers in the Ritchie home Monday afternoon.

Misses Clara George and Ruby Huddleston, also Frank Ritchie were guests in the Beal home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Will George and family spent the week-end in the White home.

Miss Jessie Bond is spending a few days at her sisters at Steep Hollow.

Mr. Floyd Ritchie and Ed Beal called at the White home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Ritchie and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Ritchie were shopping in Bryan Saturday.

TABOR NEWS.

Tabor, May 10.—The social at the school house Friday night was not largely attended on account of threatening weather. Those who did go bought freely and the school cleared several dollars as a benefit.

Complimentary to the senior class, which is composed of Verna Wilson, Guy Harris and Willis Edge, the Misses Benbow delightfully entertained the teachers, pupils and a few friends Saturday night with a party.

Miss Dorothy Broach of Bryan spent the week-end at Tabor.

Mr. Wm. Hudspeeth purchased a Dorr car last week.

Born Sunday, May 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Bon Francis, a daughter.

School closes this week. Sunday afternoon Rev. Ramsey of Bryan, will preach the commencement sermon.

Monday night, beginning at 8:30 o'clock the graduating exercises will be held. On Saturday night, May 15th, the three act play, "Single Life" will be produced by the following persons:

Maria Macaw, a man hater, Eva Gandy, Sarah Snare by Ola Henry, Caroline Coy, Midge Batten; Jessie Meadows, Inez Moore; John Niggle, Mr. Bobo; David Damper, a woman hater, Guy Harris; Peter Pinkie, Willis Edge; Narcissus Boss, George Harrison; Charles Chester, Howard Smith.

Mr. J. W. Coulter is quite ill again and his son, W. J. Coulter, who is somewhere on the Pacific ocean on his trip around the world, has been called at Yokohama, Japan, to return at once. Mr. Coulter was some better today.

MASS MEETING OF  
YOUNG PEOPLE AT  
BAP, TABERNACLE

Federation of Young People of Bryan and College Organized To Promote the Social Life of the Young People of the Community—Officers Elected For Ensuing Year.

About sixty young people, representing the various churches and young people's societies of Bryan, met in the Baptist Church, at 4:30 o'clock, May 9th, pursuant to an informal call made by a number of men and women in the city who have been interested in the formation of a federated young peoples organization here.

By common consent Mrs. A. J. Buchanan was asked to preside as temporary chairman, and upon taking the chair, she called upon Oak McKenzie to act as temporary Secretary. The purpose of the organization was then explained by her to those assembled, stating that several of the interested people of the city had met informally on two other occasions and had made some rough outlines of a proposed organization. That all churches had been asked to participate in the meeting, and that the general purpose of the proposed federation could be stated as "the formation of an organization to promote, by wholesome entertainment and amusement, the social life and welfare of the young people of Bryan and College Station, Texas."

She then asked the Secretary to read a report of a committee appointed at the previous meeting, to draw up a general statement of the purposes of the organization, and an outline of its formation. The Secretary then read the report.

Chair then called for a report from a second committee appointed by a previous meeting to draw up the proposed constitution. Miss Cavitt read the report, and it was adopted with but one change.

It was then voted to go into a permanent organization using the name "Young People's Federation of Bryan, Texas." A nominating committee consisting of A. R. Kadell, Miss Suber, Mrs. Adams, Mr. Lawler, and Mr. Martin, was then appointed by the chair, and upon their recommendation the following officers were elected:

C. E. Friley, president; Miss Louise Pipkin, vice president from the Baptist church; Miss Mabel Zimmerman, vice president, Methodist church; L. E. Martin, vice president, Christian church; Miss Margaret Zuber, vice president, Presbyterian church; Mrs. T. K. Lawrence, vice president, Episcopal church; Harry Edge, vice president, Free Baptist church; Tom Calhoun, secretary and Miss Ethel Cavitt, treasurer.

Advisory board—Mrs. A. J. Buchanan, Baptist church; Mrs. R. Q. Astin, Presbyterian; Geo. A. Adams, Christian; Mrs. W. B. Cline, Methodist; Mrs. T. K. Lawrence, Episcopal, and Mrs. Lelia Evans, Free Baptist.

A number of interesting talks on the purposes of this organization were made by Rev. King Vivion, Lee J. Rountree, Mrs. A. J. Buchanan, Miss Pipkin, Rev. P. T. Ramsey, Mrs. Lee J. Rountree, W. A. Chisholm, Tom Suber and others.

Motion was then made to adjourn, and the meeting dispersed subject to a call of the President.

OAK MCKENZIE, Sec'y.

TRINITY RIVER  
REACHES FLOOD  
STAGE AT DALLAS

Dallas, Texas, May 10.—The Trinity River is above flood stage in the lowlands and the bottoms are flooded. It was still rising at Dallas this morning. Service on the Fort Worth-Dallas interurban is suspended temporarily. Rains in the upper regions are expected to further swell the river.

NORTH TEXAS IS  
FLOODED BY RAINS

(By Associated Press)

Clarksville, Tex., May 13.—Four and one-half inches of rain fell here this morning in less than two hours. Water was from three to five feet deep in several of the principal streets as a result of the overflow of a creek running through town. About twenty business houses were flooded, some sustaining considerable loss. Train service has been held up since last night on account of washouts. North Texas is being flooded by heavy rains and much damage is reported to roads and fields by washouts.

## SHIPPED BODY HOME

John Wood, a citizen of Lyons, Burleson County, died at the Bryan hospital Monday night where he had been for the past few days under treatment. He was in a serious condition when he reached here and his illness had reached a stage where it could not be checked. The body was prepared for burial by R. M. Walker of the undertaking department of the McCullough-Gordon Company and was shipped to his home on the south bound Houston and Texas Central yesterday afternoon.

## A LUCKY ACCIDENT

(Jewett Messenger)

We had an exceedingly lucky accident in Jewett. A glancing bullet from a target fired by Dave Hailey accidentally or incidentally striking Jim Thompson on the head, did no damage other than frighten said gentleman.

Remember the slogan: "Buy it in Bryan."

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### TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.

The Houston Post of May 10, 1895, says: "Bryan—The twenty-fourth annual reunion of the Cornersville club was held Wednesday evening at the home of Colonel Harvey Mitchell. This club was organized May 8, 1872, and the original membership consisted of 12 members who attended school at Cornersville, Tenn., in 1836. At the time of the organization, each member procured a bottle of wine, and his name and age were labelled upon it, and it was to be drunk by the members present at the first meeting after his death. Only seven of the original members are now living. Judge E. P. Massey of Waco, Mrs. T. C. Ritchie of Georgetown, Colonel Harvey Mitchell and C. W. Mitchell of Bryan, and a number of honorary members were present at the interesting occasion on Wednesday night."

### EAGLE FORCE REMEMBERED

Mrs. John Fickey, grand regent of the Daughters of Isabella, has the very grateful appreciation of the Eagle force for a very thoughtful remembrance last night, in the form of a tray of elegant cream and cake sent to the office from the reception in progress at the Knights of Columbus hall. It was as welcome as a green oasis to the weary traveler in a desert land. The bunch was tired and hungry and the delicious refreshments certainly "touched the spot." Many thanks to Mrs. Fickey for her kindly thoughtfulness.

### DISTRICT COURT.

The grand jury made its first report to the district court yesterday afternoon to District Judge W. C. Davis, turning in 17 indictments, 15 of which were for felonies and 2 misdemeanors. They then recessed until Friday, May 21st. There were no cases tried in the court today and perhaps will not be until next Monday when several are set for trial.

### ANOTHER STORE BURGLARIZED

Bryan's regular weekly burglary was pulled off last night. The grocery store of Vitopil and Gelber, next to the First State Bank and Trust Company, right in the very heart of the city, was the victim. The burglar got up on the awning in the rear of the building and made entrance through one of the windows. He could not raise the bottom sash of the window, so he lowered the top sash and crawled in over it. Mr. Vitopil says the thief got some flour and a few other things, together with a small amount of change left overnight in the drawer. After getting what he wanted, he coolly unfasted the front door, walked out, and it being a Yale lock, fastened when he pulled the door to and was locked safe and sound when the proprietor opened up this morning.

## THE BETTER MARKETING OF HOGS DEMANDED

(By Associated Press)

Tyler, Texas, May 12.—Practically every county in east Texas is considering plans for co-operative marketing of hogs. Anderson county is organizing a general marketing association through which the farmers expect to sell their surplus hogs, poultry and staple products. In Smith county more than 150 cars of hogs have been marketed on the co-operative plan with splendid results.

Mrs. M. Francis and Mrs. A. L. Randle of College were in the city today shopping.

Mrs. Will Collard has returned from a pleasant week-end visit to her mother, Mrs. S. C. Jamison at Normangee.

### MRS. SUSAN DYESS IS DEAD AT HARVEY

Mrs. Susan Dyess, beloved wife of Allen W. Dyess, died at the family home at Harvey yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock after an illness of four or five months. Her life had been despaired of for some time and she had been in a dying condition since Saturday. She was given every care and attention that loving hands could give and went to heaven with the consciousness that the loving presence of those whom she held near and dear, went with her as far as it was possible for them to go into the dark valley of the shadow of death.

Mrs. Dyess was in her seventieth year and reared in this county. She was a member of the Free Baptist church at Brightlight, and had been a faithful, consecrated Christian all her life. Her whole life was filled with good deeds—ministering to the sick, helping the poor and needy, comforting the broken hearted, giving a word of encouragement to those who were downcast, and doing good in every way in which service could be rendered to others. She has gone, but her work will live on, and the hundreds who have felt the kindly influence of her life, rise up and call her blessed. As said this morning by Mr. John D. Jones, who had lived door neighbor to her for twenty-three years: "Her death was like the loss of a mother to me and all my family." There could be no greater praise than this.

Mrs. Dyess was twice married, leaving one son, Len Hudson of Oklahoma City, issue of her first marriage. She is also survived by her present husband and the following children: Mrs. Will Cannon, Austin; Mrs. Florence Pate, Leon County; Tony Dyess, West Texas; Mrs. Rube McDonald, Waco; Tom Dyess, West Texas; Mrs. Atha Todd, Rock Prairie. The bereaved relatives have the deep sympathy of neighbors and friends in their great sorrow. The funeral was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at Old Bethel church cemetery, Rev. Ollie Smith, her pastor, conducting the funeral services. A large concourse of her old friends and neighbors were present to pay her their last tribute of respect.

### MR. BEASON AND SECRETARY EBERSTADT ON TRIP

Mr. C. L. Beason and Secretary L. E. Eberstadt left this morning in an automobile decorated with signs for the "Farm Boys' Special" to go north in August. The first meeting will be held Monday night at Steep Hollow and at the following place later in the week: Reliance, Tuesday night; Kurten, Wednesday night; Edge, Thursday night; Millican, Friday night; Wellborn, Saturday night.

### EASTERN STAR OFFICERS

The Bryan Chapter Eastern Star held a most interesting meeting last night and elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: Mrs. A. K. Brown, worthy matron; Mrs. J. A. Tobias, associate matron; Mrs. D. Martin, worthy patron; Mrs. H. B. Parks, secretary; J. A. Tobias, treasurer; Miss Frances Hamilton, conductress; and Mrs. S. W. Buchanan, associate conductress.

Sergt. and Mrs. George Smart of the A. & M. College are the retiring worthy patron and worthy matron of the chapter, and their dignified and efficient administration of the affairs of the order during the past year, has been an inspiration to the other members.

### LOST A FINGER

The Eagle learns that W. E. Graham of Rock Prairie, happened to a very painful, as well as peculiar accident a few days ago. While roping a horse he wished to break one of his fingers became entangled in the rope and was completely severed from his hand. Mr. Graham suffered greatly from the accident.

## ALLEN ACADEMY BOYS ON HIKE TO FISH POND

Left the Academy Thursday Afternoon, Returning Saturday Morning—Many Amusing As Well As Interesting Incidents—Not An Accident To Mar the Pleasure of the Hike.

The latter part of the week the Allen boys enjoyed a fine outing at the Old Fish Pond, hiking out Thursday evening and returning Saturday morning. The affair, from start to finish, was under the supervision of Lieut. Miller, assisted by the cadet officers. A number of the teachers joined in, taking "pot luck" with the boys at mess and entering into the various sports.

The purpose of the camp was instruction as well as recreation, and everything was conducted in an orderly way. Full packs were carried, consisting of shelter tents, bedding and cooking kits.

The first thing upon arriving at the scene was to pitch tents, two boys to a tent. In a jiffy seventy tents in a long double row stretched along the bluff to the east of the lake. Everything having been made ready, as the shadows deepened, great camp fires were lighted and the boys, at the bread-line and each was given a paper sound of the bugle, formed in a long bag containing his lunch.

One of the most interesting experiences of the camp was the cooking of breakfast. The other meals were prepared at the Academy dining hall and conveyed to the camp in trucks, but each boy had to cook his own breakfast both mornings.

The first morning out, Lieut. Miller gathered the one hundred and thirty boys about him in a great circle and gave them a lesson in expert camp cooking. Then rations were issued and the boys were told to go at it or go hungry. As nobody was disposed to go hungry, every fellow went at it; and soon the fresh morning air was filled with the odor of frying bacon and potatoes and boiling coffee.

At night, some formed groups around the camp fires and told stories, others went "coon hunting" for a pack of hounds had been carried along, while others still, with flash lights, made circuit of the pond hunting bullfrogs.

The first night out, at two o'clock in the morning, frequent lightning and thunder threatened a rainstorm; and a runner was sent throughout the camp giving orders for each man to get up and trench about his tent. A busy scene followed, or rather a confused noise was heard, for in the darkness there was not much scene. As a part of his equipment each boy had a small shovel and a pick, just as was used in the late war in digging in on the front lines. By the use of these, each tent was soon trenched about and gradually the click and scrape of the tools and the murmur of voices subsided. So likewise did the storm, for it proved a false alarm.

The happiest hour of the camp came when at three o'clock Friday afternoon announcement was made that everybody might take a plunge in the lake. A boat had been provided and manned, and expert swimmers stood on watch. Every precaution was taken to insure perfect safety. The boys showed fine spirit in observing strictly every regulation which had been announced. For greater convenience and safety, the whole camp was divided into two groups, one-half sitting on the bluff and looking eagerly on while the other half leaped and plunged and swam in the clear, cool water. All too quickly passed the thirty minutes allowed each group in the water.

The occasion was not without its discovered heroes and champions. Schroeder was an easy winner among the fishermen. He landed an eighteen-foot—or perhaps it was an eighteen-inch trout. Lieutenant Miller was voted second place as an angler. He fished two whole days without a nibble and still was loath to quit. Angier and Taylor kept the bullfrogs on the hop day and night; and they brought in fine strings of frog legs. Cadet Major Smith was easily the champion lizard catcher. Stanford gave a demonstration of a new way to get a possum out of a tree. Being unable to ascend the tree from the ground up, he got on a high bluff alongside and jumped to the top of the tree, bringing the possum down with him in his descent, the two being a little worse for the wear and tear incident. Of course Houston and Yount were the champion talkers. They quit talking for two minutes once when Lieutenant Miller threatened them with guard duty from twelve to two o'clock at night if they did not hush up.

The 1920 hike is history. All in all, it was a good one. As the years go by and the hike recedes into the past, every Allen boy who was a part of it will delight to recall its scenes and incidents, and he will wish that he might live them over again.

Rev. P. T. Ramsey returned yesterday afternoon from Calvert where he preached at the 11 o'clock hour.

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### Personal Mention

Commissioner F. H. Pool was in the city today from Milliana.

Frank Fickey was in the city today from his home on Cedar Creek.

Miss Frances Hall is visiting in Houston, the guest of Miss Virginia Johnson.

Charles E. Friley went to Houston this afternoon on a short business trip.

Uncle Ike Holligan was in the city today from the Holligan Chapel community.

William B. Tucker, of Shreveport, La., is here on a visit to his mother and sisters.

Mrs. W. E. Wimberly has returned from a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. Stone at Sherman.

A. J. Keith of Keith, Grimes county, was a business visitor in Bryan yesterday afternoon.

Mr. E. E. Bryan, of Philadelphia, is spending the day with Mrs. W. P. Bryan and Mr. Travis B. Bryan.

Mrs. A. M. Waldrop has returned from a pleasant visit to her mother, Mrs. M. B. Willis and other relatives in Waco.

J. F. Bagwell has returned from a trip in the interest of the extension service of the A. and M. College.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Tardy and children of Minden, Louisiana, are guests of Mrs. Tardy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Kinnard.

Mrs. R. O. Allen has returned from Austin where she visited her daughter, Miss Martha Rivers Allen, who is a student in the State University.

The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. Algine Benbow sympathize with them in the loss of their infant daughter, whose death occurred this morning.

Circle Number 5 of the Baptist ladies' auxiliary, spent yesterday sewing for the orphans of Buckner Orphan Home at the home of Mrs. L. O. Wilkerson.

Robert W. Howell is in St. Louis attending the national meeting wholesale grocery men. Mrs. Howell and little Jennie June are spending the week with friends in Houston.

E. Kennedy and sons, Euke and Ernest, went to Lovelady yesterday by automobile. Mrs. Kennedy has been visiting there for some time and they will all return home Friday.

Ernest F. Parks is in Waco attending the State meeting of the Edison dealers. Mr. Parks will go over to Dallas today for a short visit before returning to Bryan.

Major L. L. McInnis returned last night from Austin where he attended a meeting of the directors of the Presbyterian theological seminary.

A called meeting of the Order of Eastern Star is announced for Friday night at 8 o'clock, for the initiation of five candidates. Every member is expected to attend.

Messrs. A. M. Waldrop and Marshall Bullock went to the Country Club lake at 5 o'clock Wednesday morning and caught a wonderful string of real fish. Mr. Waldrop can explain why he didn't bring the fish to town.

W. L. Driver went to Houston last night to attend the big track meet. Mrs. Driver is the guest of Mrs. W. S. Howell in this city for today. Friday Mrs. Driver will join Mr. Driver at Houston and they will go over to Galveston for the week-end. Mrs. Driver will go on to Vicksburg, Miss., for a visit to her old home and will later join Mr. Driver in Dallas, where they will reside in the future.

Prof. J. H. Allen has been quite ill again at his home in this city. Reports from his bedside this morning are encouraging and it is hoped that he will continue to improve.

J. B. Hunter, former make-up and ad man on the Eagle for several years, but who has been in Tyler for some weeks, has accepted his old position with the Eagle and arrived in the city yesterday afternoon. He entered upon his duties this morning which insures for the advertisers of the city prompt service.

Miss Maude Stevenson went to Waco today where she will visit her friend, Miss Jimmie McLean for the week-end. From Waco Miss Stevenson will go over to Belton to be present during the commencement festivities at Baylor College, as the guest of Misses Belle Gainer and Elizabeth Wilson.

Albert Bullock has accepted a position with a large oil company with headquarters in Houston, and will make that city his home in future. Mrs. Bullock and the children will remain in Bryan until the close of school, and then they will join him there. The Bryan people regret to lose this splendid family, but wish them every success in their new home.

Judge J. T. Maloney has returned from Galveston where he attended the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias.

Mrs. Mary Mitchell has moved from the Hudson residence to the Hudson cottage.

Major Claud Mitchell, of West Columbia oil fields, is here to visit his mother, Mrs. Mary Mitchell. Major Mitchell went to Burleson County today on an oil mission.

Louis White has gone to Navasota and Conroe on business.

J. Webb Howell has gone to New Orleans to attend the Interstate Cottonseed Crushers Association. Mrs. Howell, who is visiting her mother in Mississippi, will meet him there and return with him.

Major L. L. McInnis spent today in Austin on business.

Miss Lucile Robinson has returned to her home in Hempstead after visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Susie Robinson and her aunt, Mrs. Josie Sheets, in this city.

Mrs. E. J. Jenkins, Mrs. Lee J. Rountree, Mrs. B. T. Pool, and Rev. P. T. Ramsey attended a district meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church in Navasota last night. Rev. Ramsey preached at the meeting of the society at the evening service.

to relatives and friends. They will spend the summer in Illinois, returning to Bryan about September 1st.

Len Hudson arrived yesterday afternoon from Oklahoma City, being called here by the very serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Allen Dyess of Harvey.

Mrs. F. W. Reed, Mrs. C. G. Calhoun and Mrs. T. A. Adams went to Navasota by this morning's early train to attend the district meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society in that city today.

Mrs. Cecile M. Garrett has gone to New York City for a visit to her aunt Mrs. Thos. W. Stewart. She will also visit other friends in the East before returning to Bryan.

Mrs. W. J. Pico of this city and her sister, Mrs. W. C. Wilcox of Navasota are visiting Mrs. Chas. F. House, of Paris, Texas.

J. L. Hensarling and Goree Neeley were business visitors to the city from Wellborn this morning.

Sam Luther was in the city today from the Harris chapel community.

Major L. L. McInnis is in Austin attending the board of directors meeting of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary.

Dr. Granville T. Storey of Bay City spent today in Bryan the guest of his son, Rev. C. H. Storey and family. He returned to his home this afternoon.

Ask for profit sharing TRADE COUPONS redeemable in the Original Rogers silverware. Banks pay interest on what you have, we pay interest on what you spend. David Reid, Groceries and Meats.

Mrs. A. M. Waldrop is spending the week in Waco, on a visit to her mother, Mrs. M. B. Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gurley motored to the city this morning from Gurley Ranch and spent the day shopping and visiting friends.

Mrs. Marvin E. Wallace is in San Antonio for the week, visiting her sister, Mrs. O. L. Hearne.

Mrs. Bayless Kenner has returned to her home in Hearne after a pleasant visit in this city as the guest of Mrs. Harry McDowell.

BORN—To Dr. and Mrs. Algine Benbow, Tuesday, May 11, at their home on Ursuline Avenue, a precious baby girl.

(From Monday's Daily)

T. B. Smith of Reliance was in Bryan yesterday afternoon and went to Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fountain are visiting their sons in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Womack, of Houston, are here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. John K. Parker.

Mrs. J. O. Morgan was a visitor to the city today from the College.

D. Burkhalter and August Straub were in the city today from Wellborn.

J. H. Hearne of Kurten was in the city today.

C. G. Loftin was in today from his home in the bottom.

E. C. Gibbs of Navasota was a business visitor in Bryan today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dickey and daughters, Misses Rachel and Orlena and Mrs. J. R. Dickey formed an automobile party from Leona, Leona County, who were shopping in Bryan today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Burtis of Madisonville, are guests of relatives in this city.

Tyler Haswell has returned from a business trip to Dallas.

All the young people of the city and College and others who are interested in the movement to organize a Young People's Association for the purpose of promoting, by wholesome entertainment and amusement, the social life of the community, are reminded again of the Mass Meeting at the Tabernacle Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at which time permanent organization will be perfected and officers elected. Be sure to attend.

T. B. Wood and G. W. Orms have returned from north Texas where they went in the interest of the extension service of the A. & M. College. They report heavy rains every night this week in that part of the state.

Mrs. Noble Melton and two little daughters have returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Foster in Taylor.

Judge W. C. Davis is at home from Franklin where he has been holding court.

Rev. P. T. Ramsey, Rev. King Vivion and Mr. Oak McKenzie have returned from a successful meeting of the Methodist district conference at Grapeland. Rev. Ramsey will soon announce some splendid plans for work at the A. & M. College for the future.

Miss Corrie Suber's class of the Baptists Sunday School is composed of ten girls, and each of them was given the privilege of inviting a boy friend to a sunset supper, given in their honor last evening at the big iron bridge on Wixon creek. Mrs. E. F. Parks and Mrs. O. J. Parks assisted Miss Suber in giving every pleasure to the merry crowd of young folk. The class includes, Misses Dorothy Little, Helen Moore, Helen Kerr Parks, Texas Orms, Lois Bullock, Alie Locke, Gladys Royal, Leona Scott, Emma Mae Robinson, and Hellen Robinson.

J. W. Burrows of Millican was in Bryan yesterday afternoon between trains.

Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Bizzell and Mr. C. E. Friley have returned from a visit in Houston.

Mrs. Tyler Haswell, Mrs. M. B. Parker and Mrs. W. D. Lawrence spent yesterday afternoon with Mrs. John Gurley at her beautiful country home on the Gurley Ranch.

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Bullock and children of Hearne spent last night with relatives in this city, returning home this afternoon.

On the Lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Doane on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock the A. & M. Junior church will be entertained by a house party of ladies assisting Mrs. Doane, the affair being under the auspices of the Methodist church.

night at the Methodist parsonage but the rain interfered. The party will be given on Monday night without fail at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Ramsey.

Mrs. P. T. Ramsey, superintendent of the Junior Missionary Society of the Methodist church, gave an enjoyable picnic dinner at Oak Grove Lake to the thirty members of the society.

Miss Octavia Truett will go to her home at Waco Monday where she will remain until June 1st, and from there she will go to El Paso and Cloudercroft. She does not yet know when she will be asked to report for missionary work in the Episcopal church to which she has been assigned by the bishop of the diocese of Texas. Her work will probably be in the Philippine Islands.

C. S. Beckwith will go to Galveston Sunday to attend a meeting of the association of Keepers of Records and Seals of the Knights of Pythias. The association will be in session for three days.

William Hudspeth and J. K. Pressall of Tabor, were in the city today.

Mrs. E. H. Fairman has gone to Lake Charles, La., for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sloane.

Mrs. J. T. Cartledge has returned to her home in Houston after a visit to her mother, Grandma Kizer, who has been very ill.

Mrs. A. M. Lawson, and daughter, Miss MacDonald, of Houston, and Mrs. W. R. Ellis, formerly of Houston, now of New Orleans, are visiting Mrs. H. B. Stoddard.

J. W. Shepherd of Kurten has returned from a visit of several weeks to his son, Joe Shepherd and family at Colorado City. Mr. Shepherd says they have had fine rains in that section and everything is flourishing with prospects for another big crop this year.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kirk have returned to Houston after attending the funeral of Capt. T. P. Boyett and remaining over for a visit to relatives and old friends.

Mrs. Eula Loftin of Millican was the guest of Mrs. H. Crenshaw in this city yesterday.

Mrs. G. W. Stevenson and baby have returned to Plantersville after a pleasant visit with relatives at Kurten.

Mrs. George F. Lee and her son, Howard Lee, of Wellborn, were visitors in Bryan today.

Mrs. Dora Pool has returned from a visit to Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bain and daughters, Misses Mary and Winnifred, have returned to their home in Houston after visiting Mrs. M. J. Parker and other relatives in this city.

A. D. Alexander and H. Holliam have returned to Ennis after a pleasant visit with friends in this city.

S. E. Fudge of Dallas, general manager of the Duke and Ayres Stores in Texas, was a business visitor in Bryan today.

T. E. Dishman, manager of the Western Union office at Sanderson, spent Mother's Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dishman in this city.

Little Pauline Morgan has returned from a pleasant visit to her aunt, Mrs. Lonnie Lindsey, at Crosby, Tex.

Mrs. J. W. Royal of Beaumont, and Raymond Blatherwick of Dalhart, Texas, arrived Sunday night for a visit to relatives and friends in Bryan.

Mrs. Royal is the sister and Mrs. Blatherwick the father of Mrs. J. Tom Smith, and they are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Smith on East 26th street.

Mrs. J. T. Heatwole and little daughter, Margaret Porter of Athens, Ga., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Lawrence. Mrs. Heatwole and Mrs. Lawrence are Cousins.

Mrs. J. H. Reed of this city will attend the Methodist Missionary Conference in Navasota this week. The conference opens tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Vashinder will occupy the Shelburne cottage on West 29th street, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. James Beard.

Miss Verna Warburton of Houston, who has been the guest of Miss Emma Boriski for the past week, returned yesterday to her home.

S. W. Bilising has returned from a business trip to Corsicana.

Mrs. John Wilkerson of Madisonville is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wilkerson in this city.

W. E. Graham was in the city today from his home on Rock Prairie.

A. C. Williams of Coleview was a visitor to the city today.

W. D. Yardley and W. E. Jones were in town today from Harvey.

Turner Crenshaw was in the city today from Steep Hollow.

George Orr and his niece, Miss Emma Chennault of Millican, were visitors in the city today.

Henry Sims was up from Millican today.

Mrs. C. R. Kennon and two children of San Antonio and Miss Bessie Herndon of Houston, returned to their homes yesterday afternoon after a pleasant visit with their sister, Mrs. Sam Cavitt.

Miss Ethel Eden is visiting friends and relatives in Austin. She will go from there to Palestine and will be away from Bryan about two weeks.

Misses Lola and Pearl Jones of Harvey have returned from Austin where they attended the interscholastic league at the State University.

Mrs. C. A. Searcy spent the week-end with friends and relatives in Hempstead.



# THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION MEETING TODAY AT WASHINGTON

Attendance Is Over 7,000 the Greatest In Its History—Texas Delegation Goes on Special Train and is 600—Bryan and Brazos County Delegates Arrived in the National Capital Tuesday Night—Religion and Education the Greatest Subjects.

(By Associated Press.) Washington, May 12.—Doctor J. B. Gambrell of Fort Worth, Texas, was unanimously re-elected president of the Southern Baptist Convention which met here today.

## The Greatest Convention (Special to the Eagle)

Washington, D. C., May 12.—The Texas delegation to the Southern Baptist Convention will reach nearly 600. A special train came from Dallas Tuesday night bearing many delegates. Definite assignments have been made at the hotels, boarding houses and homes of Washington for 7,000 delegates to the Southern Baptist Convention, which begins its annual session here today, which number is twice that of any previous convention attendance. More than 600 will comprise the Texas contingent, a large number of whom have been given accommodations at the Raleigh Hotel. The special train from Dallas carrying about 400 arrived in Washington yesterday afternoon at four o'clock. Others are coming via the Southern route, leaving from Houston.

Dr. J. B. Gambrell of Fort Worth, president of the convention, who is completing his third year in that capacity, came with the Texas contingent, as did Dr. George Truett of Dallas, chairman of the campaign committee directing the gathering of the funds. These officers will make reports to the convention. Work of relief and annuity board will be reported by Dr. William Lunsford of Dallas. Brazos County will be represented as follows: Dr. John A. Held, pastor of the First Baptist church at Bryan. Rev. J. J. Pipkin, Baptist Missionary and Rev. J. E. Smith, pastor at Steep Hollow and Harvey.

Sessions of the convention are to be held in Liberty Hut, in Union Station Plaza, which was constructed for the revival campaign of Rev. Billy Sunday and later employed for various attractions and activities during the love.

**Dr. Love's Mission Report**  
Southern Baptists should lay plans for an allegiance with Baptists of all the world, Dr. J. F. Love, secretary of the Foreign Mission Board declared here today to the Southern Baptist convention, in his annual report. As a start in that direction it was announced there will be a conference of all European Baptist missionary organizations at London next July to consider a European Baptist program. Indicating the growth in foreign mis-

## BOYS OF BRAZOS COUNTY ORGANIZED FOR GREAT TRIP

(By Special Reporter) Secretary Eberstadt and C. L. Beason report an interesting meeting at Reliance Tuesday night on the country wide club drive for the "Farm Boys Special Train" to tour eighteen states.

Mr. Eberstadt made an interesting talk showing the mutual benefits that would result through co-operation, of the farmers and business men. Mr. Beason showed quite a number of pictures illustrative of club activities, home conveniences, better rural schools, good country homes, improved live stock, good roads, and soil conservation by proper terracing.

Mr. Beason said the people of the Reliance community have a right to feel proud of the fact that they are on the recently designated East and West Highway number 45, and that he hoped they would soon have a pike through this splendid community as good as the roads shown in the pictures.

Messrs. Eberstadt and Beason state that much interest is being manifested in this club drive, and that one of the first things to attract their attention yesterday on reaching the Reliance Community was to see an eleven year old boy seated on the front steps of his home, with tablet and pencil, text book on agriculture, and a set of questions on which the examination will be based, hunting out answers to the eighty-two questions of the list in order that he might be well prepared to answer the four to eight questions which will be given on examination.

One farmer was heard to remark, that aside from the trip given to the boys, the information acquired by farmers, as well as club boys, through extensive reading and discussions of the questions sent out, would be well worth the efforts being put in this campaign.

On every hand one can hear expressions of appreciation of the liberal offer made by the three banks of Bryan, to send Brazos County boys on this great educational trip.

Messrs. Eberstadt, Beason and Long, accompanied by Arthur Rountree of the Bryan Eagle, will go to Kurten for meeting tonight.

## PRESIDENT CARRANZA IS NOT DEAD BUT FIGHTING FOR LIFE

(By Associated Press)

Laredo, Texas, Wednesday, May 12.—Mexican revolutionists seem to have attained virtually all of their objectives with the possible exception of the capture of President Carranza who fled from Mexico City one night last week. Advice from rebel sources say he has been taken prisoner but apparently news had not reached Vera Cruz last night. Vera Cruz reported that near San Marcos, 125 miles away, loyal federalists were fighting rebels. Rebel reinforcements it is said had been ordered to the scene of battle and it is probable issue of struggle will not be long delayed. The report of the assassination of Carranza continue to come, but it is more than likely Carranza is still at large and trying to get out of the country in a battleship. His loyal troops seem to be making their last stand, where it is said 4,000 are en-

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Harrison have purchased the home place of the late V. B. Hudson, and will occupy the same this week. Mr. and Mrs. James Beard will move into the Harrison residence on East Bryan.

Miss Annie May Lock of Dallas is the guest of Misses Althea and Hettie Edge in this city.

Mrs. I. E. Warren has returned from a visit to relatives in Palestine.

Mrs. J. N. Webb of Hillsboro has arrived in Bryan to join Mr. Webb who has been here several days. They are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Newcomb.

J. A. Murray of Iowa was in the city today and paid the Eagle office a pleasant call.

T. P. Martin of Steep Hollow was in the city today.

Tom Barnett was in the city today from Steep Hollow.

Commissioner John Sabo was in the city from the Kurten community.

## Political Announcement

The following prices will prevail for announcements for office in the Daily and Weekly Eagle:  
Congress and other district offices, \$25.  
Representative, county judge, county attorney, sheriff, county clerk, tax collector and tax assessor, \$20.  
District clerk, county treasurer and county surveyor, \$15.  
All precinct officers, \$10.

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HON. RUFUS HARDY.  
For State Senator  
CHAS. S. GAINER  
D. LEON HARP  
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For Sheriff  
L. E. MOREHEAD  
For County Clerk  
T. C. NUNN, JR.  
STEWART McSWAIN  
For County Superintendent  
MRS. MAY STEVENER WILSON  
PROF. ECK SMITH  
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1  
E. B. HOLLAND  
GEORGE P. EDGE  
JOHN SABO  
For Commissioner Precinct 3  
J. L. BURT  
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4  
J. H. GAMMON  
JOHN M. MOORE  
For Constable Precinct No. 5  
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## BOARD DIRECTORS BRYAN AND BRAZOS COUNTY C. OF C.

Met in Regular Weekly Session Tuesday Morning—Took Up Question of Better Roads, Cotton Marketing and Potato Curing Plant and Canning Factory.

The Board of Directors of the Bryan and Brazos County Chamber of Commerce met Tuesday morning in weekly meeting. President E. J. Jenkins was in the chair and Secretary S. E. Eberstadt at the desk. Present were: President E. J. Jenkins, Secretary S. E. Eberstadt, John A. Moore, Jr., J. L. Edge, Sam B. Wilson, Oak McKenzie, T. K. Lawrence, H. W. Cole, A. M. Waldrop, D. L. Wilson, Ed Hall, George A. Adams and Lee J. Rountree.

Chairman Geo. A. Adams, of the City Development committee reported that he had discussed the proposition with J. F. Lavender for the erection of a potato curing plant, a canning factory, nursery and floral business all under one management to be located in Bryan and conducted the year around. Mr. Adams stated that Mr. Lavender was willing to put \$15,000 in the business provided the citizens of Bryan would subscribe for \$15,000 worth of stock. Upon the suggestion to Mr. Ed Hall it was agreed that Mr. Adams get a concrete proposition from Mr. Lavender and present it for action. The business was unanimously endorsed by all present.

Chairman A. M. Waldrop of the Educational Committee, brought up the subject of the A. and M. College band concert for Tuesday night and the board endorsed the entertainment and appointed the following committee to assist in securing a large attendance: Travis B. Bryan, Marshall Bullock, W. B. Cannon, Lang A. Spell, L. L. Stephens and Pat Newton.

Chairman D. L. Wilson, of the Highway Committee, presented the question of the East and West Highway from Huntsville to Bryan which has been designated by the Texas Highway Commission to be known as Highway No. 45 and called attention to the proposition of laying out the road to McCree crossing to meet the people of Iowa, Bedias and Grimes county.

Chairman Wilson was requested to present this important matter to Judge J. T. Maloney and the Brazos county commissioners court for definite action.

Chairman J. L. Edge, of the Agricultural Committee, stated that the Brazos County Marketing Association would hold a meeting on Saturday, May 15 at 3 o'clock to secure the services of a cotton classifier and that he had been advised by I. M. Cook, the president, that the necessary guarantee of the farmers and business men had been secured and that J. B. Beers, of A. and M. College has stated that Saturday was the last day for action. Secretary W. E. Graham, of the County Marketing Association was present and was invited by President Jenkins to make a statement. Mr. Graham stated that a cotton classifier was now indispensable to the business and farming interests. He said he hoped that the contract would be closed Saturday and felt sure that it would.

Messrs. Ed Hall, Sam B. Wilson, Jno. A. Moore, Geo. A. Adams, Secretary Eberstadt, A. M. Waldrop, T. K. Lawrence, H. W. Cole, D. L. Wilson and others discussed the question and it was the unanimous opinion that the Bryan and Brazos County should have a cotton classifier.

Secretary Eberstadt read a letter from Hon. W. F. Daughtry, U. S. director of Vocational Training, thanking the Citizens of Bryan for their assistance given the federal students taking vocational training at A. and M. College.

Mrs. Ernest Beard of the Wixon community, sister of Mrs. J. B. Priddy of this city, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is now improving slowly, and has been with her sister in Bryan a few days. Mrs. Beard accompanied by another sister, Mrs. Joe Thomas, departed today at noon for Graham, Texas, to visit their mother, Mrs. Freeman.

G. G. Loftin, overseer on the Chance plantation, was in the city today.

### Reasons!

Why you should use Cardui, the woman's tonic, for your troubles, have been shown in thousands of letters from actual users of this medicine, who speak from personal experience. If the results obtained by other women for so many years have been so uniformly good, why not give Cardui a trial?

### Take CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Mary J. Irvin, of Cullen, Va., writes: "About 11 years ago, I suffered untold misery with female trouble, bearing-down pains, headache, numbness . . . I would go for three weeks almost bent double . . . My husband went to Dr. . . for Cardui . . . After taking about two bottles I began going around and when I took three bottles I could do all my work." E-80

## PREPARING BILL ON PINK BOLL WORM FOR LEGISLATURE

Austin, May 10.—If the legislature adopts a plan being put into form of a bill, farmers included in non-cotton zones which it is expected the legislature will establish at the session beginning May 20th, will be reimbursed only for the difference between the prices received for substitute crop, and the price they would receive for cotton crops. Secretary of Agriculture Meredith will address the legislature on May 27th on the pink boll worm situation, according to a message from him to the governor.

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP. THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the welfare of Pauline Messane, Jennie Messane, Bernice Messane, Charles Messane, minors.

Johanna Messane has filed in the County Court of Brazos County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the persons and estate of above named minors which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing the third Monday in July A. D. 1920, at the Court House thereof, in the City of Bryan, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this writ, showing your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court this 10th day of May A. D. 1920.

H. O. FERGUSON, Clerk County Court, Brazos County, Texas.

## SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF ELECTION For Special School Tax THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BRAZOS.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 24th day of May, 1920, at College Station, Texas, as an Independent School District, of this County, as established by Act of State Legislature of date the day of , to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified taxpayers voters of that district desire to tax themselves for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said district, and to determine whether the Commissioners' Court of this County shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually, a tax of, and at the rate of, not to exceed 50 cents on the \$100 valuation of taxable property in said district, for said purpose.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County, and who are resident property taxpayers in said district, shall be entitled to vote at said election.

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this County, by order made on the 29th day of April 1920, and this notice is given in pursuance of said order.

Dated the 29th day of April, 1920.  
L. E. MOREHEAD, Sheriff Brazos County, Tex.

Little Lawrence Griffin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffin of this city, has many friends that will be glad to hear that he is doing nicely today, and fast regaining his strength, since undergoing a serious operation at the Bryan Hospital one day last week.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. F. Gibbs and family spent Mother's Day with Mrs. Gibbs' mother, Mrs. Conn at the old country home place in Madison county.

## RED CROSS NOTES

The Home Service Section of the Brazos County Chapter of the Red Cross may be asked to cooperate with the War Department in connection with the return of the bodies of American soldiers killed in action overseas, according to advices received recently by Red Cross officials here from Southwestern divisional headquarters at St. Louis.

As soon as the time of arrival of the bodies is known the War Department will notify the next of kin and the Red Cross. This information will be transmitted to the proper Red Cross chapter which will be asked to render appropriate aid as a final service to those men who gave their lives for their country. The services the Brazos County Chapter of the Red Cross will be called upon to render will depend largely upon whether or not any remains of men from this vicinity are returned.

A situation arose recently that made clear the necessity for the cooperation that has been worked out. In this instance, because of a change of address, relatives had failed to receive from the War Department the official notice of the return of a slain son. Upon being apprised by newspapers of the scheduled arrival, the family applied to the Red Cross in the emergency for information as to time of landing, requesting help in matters incident to burial engagements.

It is expected that by the new plan of the War Department, Red Cross Home Service Sections will be able to get in touch with all relatives to whom the message is of vital importance, far enough in advance to allow sufficient time for the completion of all arrangements for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. James Proctor of Lumberton, N. C., arrived this afternoon to attend the Kernodie-Wipprecht wedding on Wednesday.

Mrs. John Pritchett of Austin is the guest of Mrs. W. Wipprecht for the marriage of Miss Ida Wipprecht on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Read of Little Rock, will arrive tomorrow to be present at the marriage of their niece, Miss Ida Wipprecht on Wednesday. Mr. Read is a brother of Mrs. Wipprecht.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Chenshaw spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Madison county. They attended church yesterday at the old country home church of Mrs. Chenshaw, it being their first visit there in nearly 23 years.

Mrs. Will C. Johnson returned this afternoon to her home in Beaumont, after a pleasant home visit with her mother, Mrs. J. N. Cole and other relatives and friends in the city.

Mrs. Alice Bloodworth of Cleburne is visiting in Bryan, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. R. H. Harrison.

## ONE PER CENT ON SALES HAS BEEN ABANDONED

Washington, May 10.—The republican members of the House Ways and Means Committee, has definitely decided to abandon the proposed one per cent retail tax for raising money for the proposed soldier relief legislation.

## SOME DRUGGISTS PROFITEERING IN WHISKEY

Austin, Texas, May 10.—Profiteering on whiskey by Texas druggists is charged in a statement by R. V. Nichols, special agent for the Attorney General's department who has been investigating the situation in Texas.

Many druggists, he said, charge five dollars for a short pint of liquor which his investigations indicate cost them only six dollars a gallon. The druggists give twelve ounces, instead of sixteen for a pint, and thus get fifty dollars a gallon for the liquor, he added.

## SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF ELECTION For Special School Tax THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BRAZOS.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 10th day of June, 1920, at Dowling School in Common School District No. 5, of this County, as established by order of the Commissioners' Court of this County, of date the days of , which is recorded in Book C, page 441, of the Minutes of Said Court, to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property taxpayers voters of that district desire to tax themselves for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said district, and to determine whether the Commissioners' Court of this County shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually, a tax of, and at the rate of, not to exceed 50 cents on the \$100 valuation of taxable property in said district, for said purpose.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County, and who are resident property taxpayers in said district, shall be entitled to vote at said election.

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this County, by order made on the 13th day of May 1920, and this notice is given in pursuance of said order.

Dated the 13th day of May, 1920.  
L. E. MOREHEAD, Sheriff Brazos County, Tex.

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